DARK MATTERS

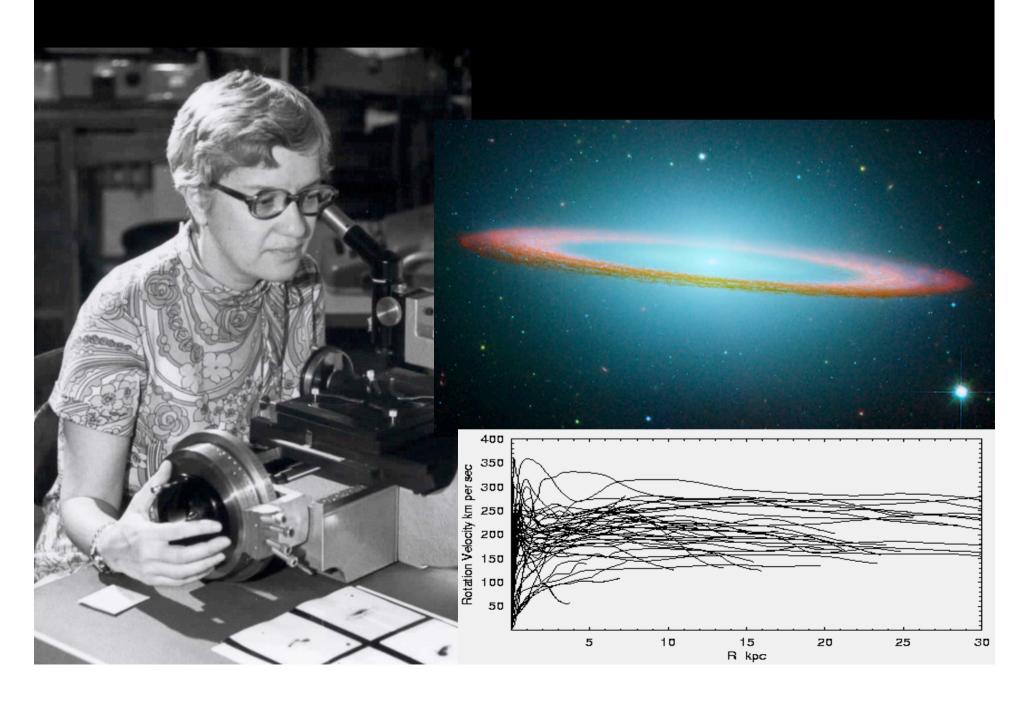
Joe Silk, September 23, 2009







Dark Matter in Galaxies



Volumen VI Fasciculus Secundus.

Die Rotverschiebung von extragalaktischen Nebeln von F. Zwicky.

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Inhaltsangabe. Diese Arbeit gibt eine Darstellung der wesentlichsten Merkmale extragalaktischer Nebel, sowie der Methoden, welche zur Erforschung derselben gedient haben. Insbesondere wird die sog. Rotverschiebung extragalaktischer Nebel eingehend diskutiert. Verschiedene Theorien, welche zur Erklärung dieses wichtigen Phänomens aufgestellt worden sind, werden kurz besprochen. Schliesslich wird angedeutet, inwiefern die Rotverschiebung für das Studium der durchdringenden Strahlung von Wichtigkeit zu werden verspricht.

§ 1. Einleitung.

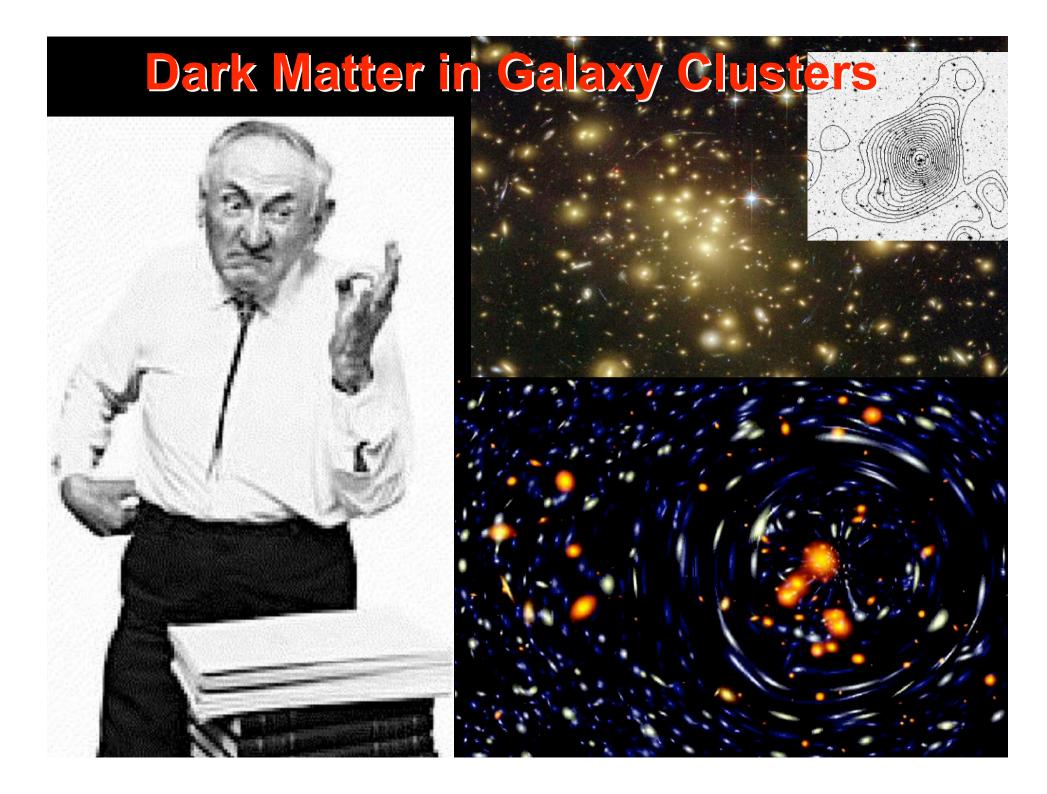
Es ist schon seit langer Zeit bekannt, dass es im Weltraum gewisse Objekte gibt, welche, wenn mit kleinen Teleskopen beobachtet, als stark verschwommene, selbstleuchtende Flecke erscheinen. Diese Objekte besitzen verschiedenartige Strukturen. Oft sind sie kugelförmig, oft elliptisch, und viele unter ihnen haben

Rotverschiebung extragalaktischer Nebel.

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Jm, wie beobachtet, einen mittleren Dopplereffekt von 1000 km/sek oder mehr zu erhalten, müsste also die mittlere Dichte im Comasystem mindestens 400 mal grösser sein als die auf Grund von Beobachtungen an leuchtender Materie abgeleitete¹). Falls ich dies bewahrheiten sollte, würde sich also das überraschende Resultat ergeben, dass dunkle Materie in sehr viel grösserer Dichte vorhanden ist als leuchtende Materie.

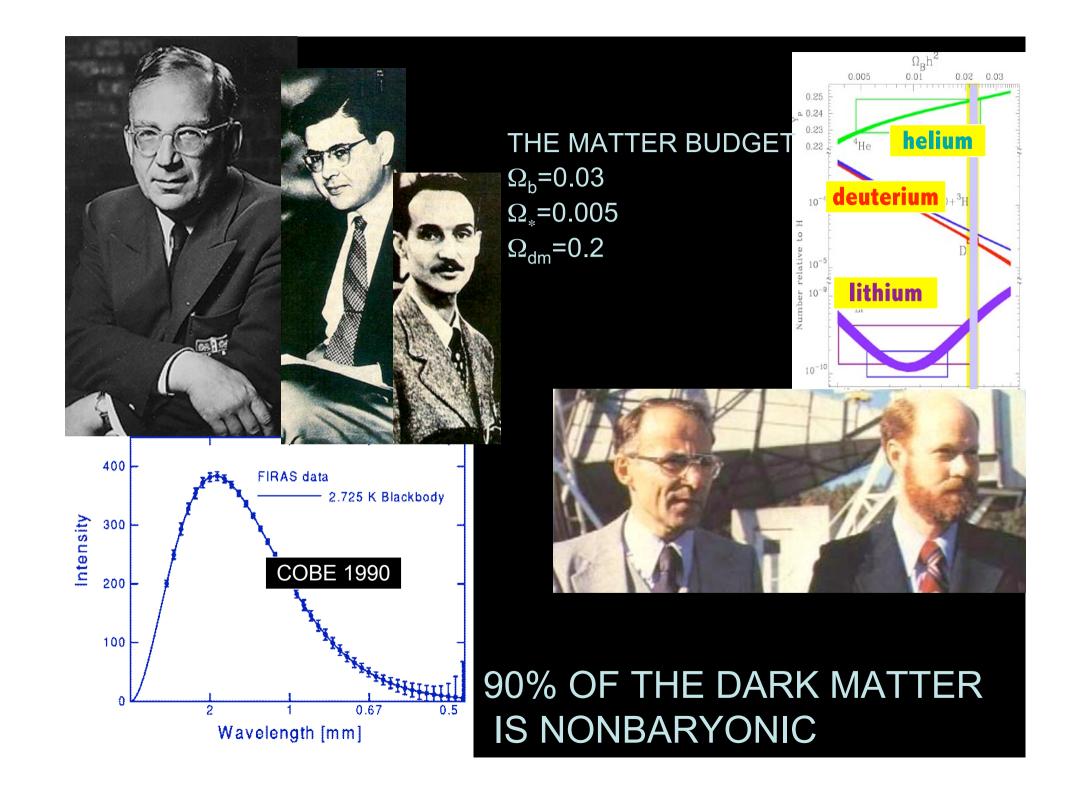
2. Man kann auch annehmen, dass das Comasystem sich nicht im stationären Gleichgewicht befindet, sondern dass die ganze verfügbare potentielle Energie als kinetische Energie er-



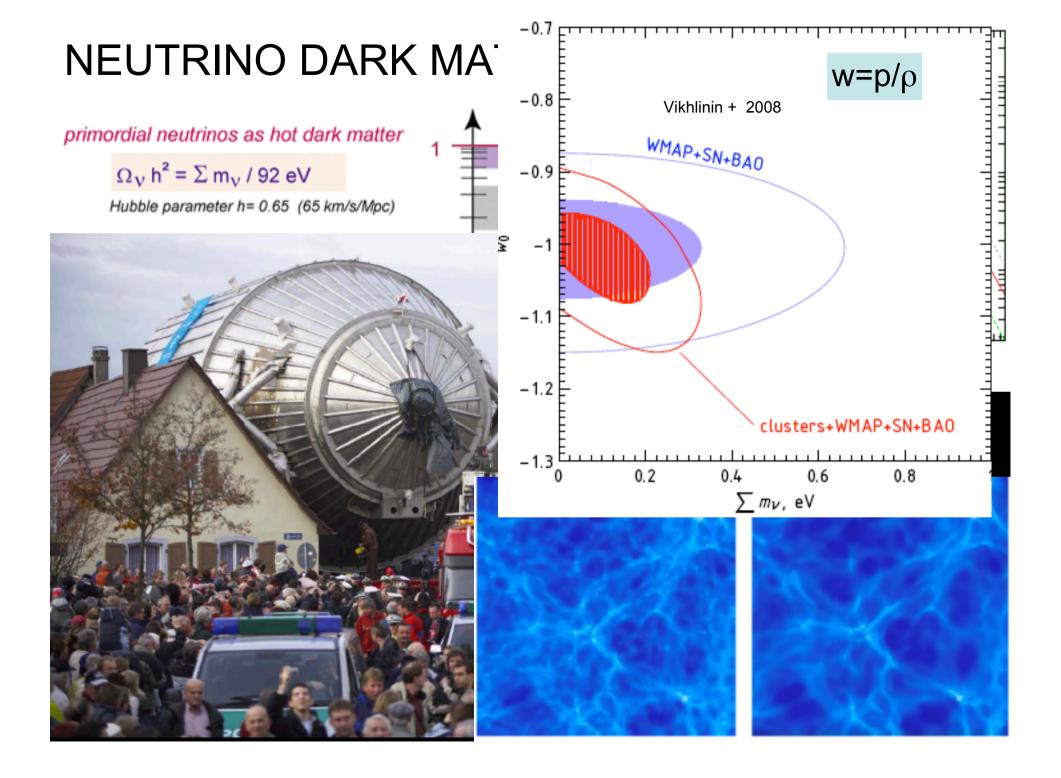
Dark matter: baryonic

Canberra Times April 1990

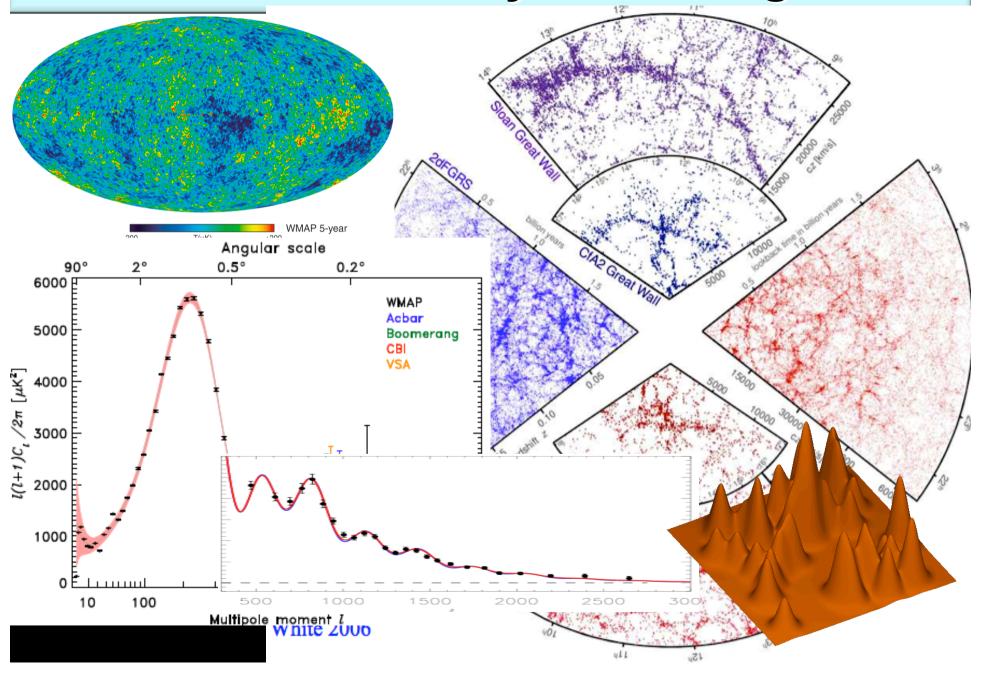
composition of the universe continue among the world's academics Professor J. Silk, from the Departments of Astronomy and Physics at the University of California arrives at the ANU to deliver a recitation of Baryonic Dark Matter, summarised in an advance notice thus: "At least 90 per cent of the mass of the university is in the form of non-luminous matter." Rumours that a class defamation action is pending are as yet unsubstan-



Dark matter: neutrinos

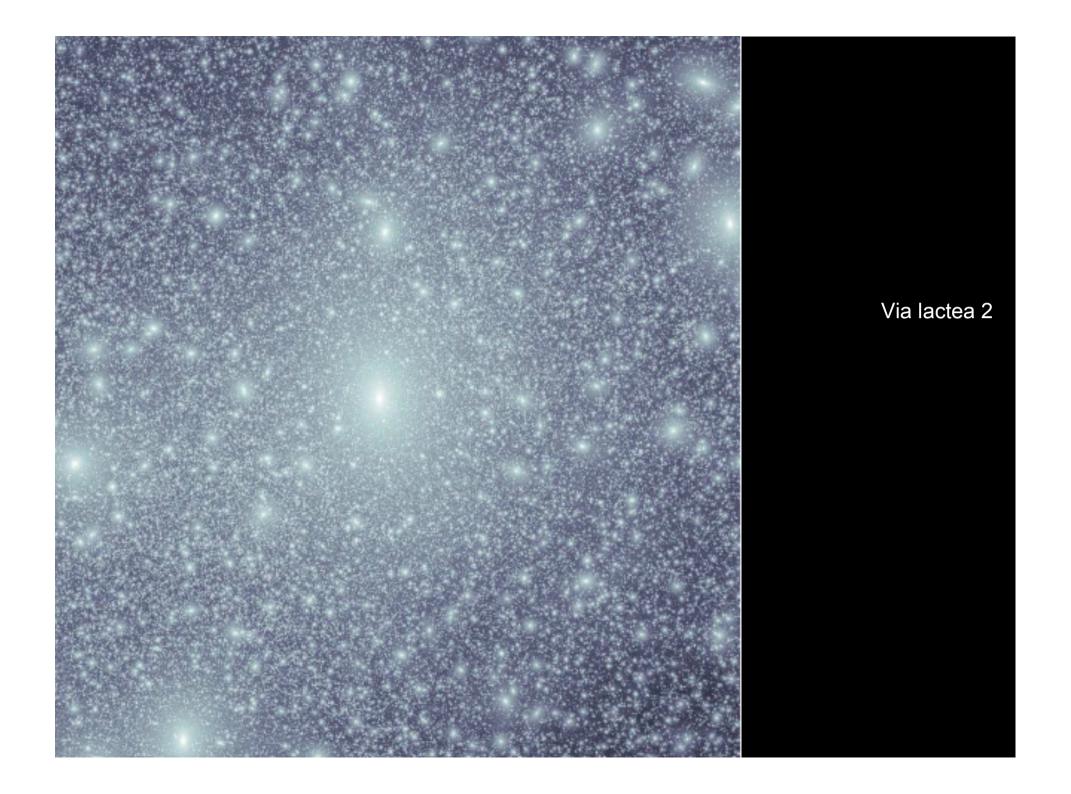


Dark Matter is weakly interacting & cold

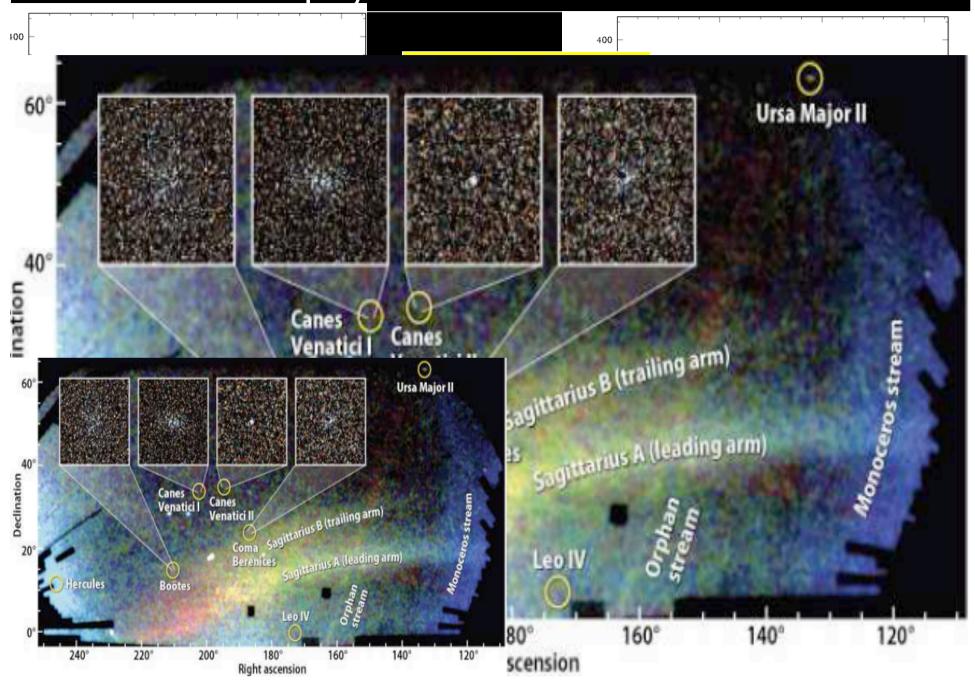




I see here that the universe is thought to be full of dense cold clumps



astrophysical feedback needed



Dark matter: neutralinos

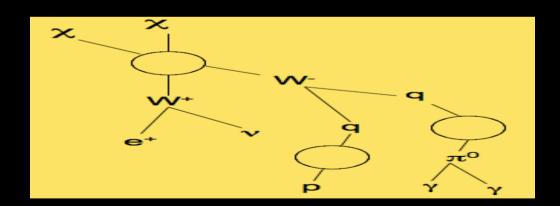
NEUTRALINO DARK MATTER

Favoured SUSY candidate: Weakly Interacting Massive Particle or WIMP

Relic abundance obtained if $\langle \sigma v \rangle \sim 3x10^{-26}$ cm³/s $\sim 1/\Omega_x$

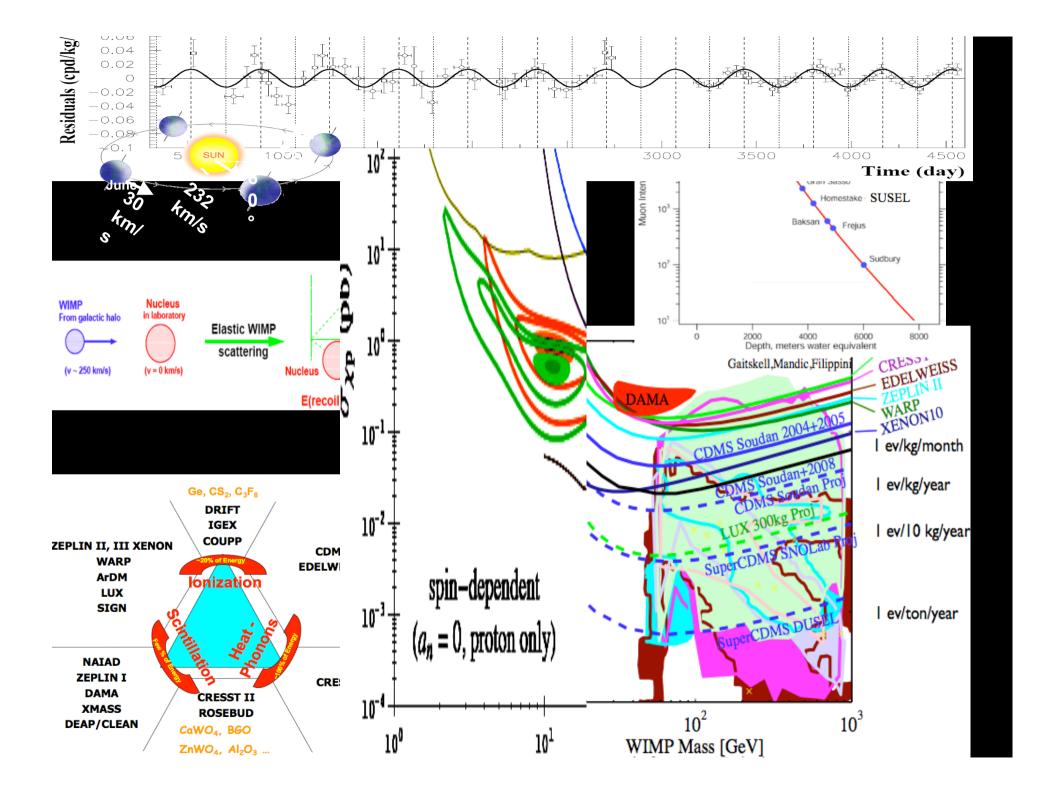
for lightest stable relic: 100-1000 proton masses

DETECTION IN SPACE OR DEEP UNDERGROUND OFFERS STRATEGY TO PROBE MASS RANGE THAT COMPLEMENTS ANY FUTURE COLLIDERS



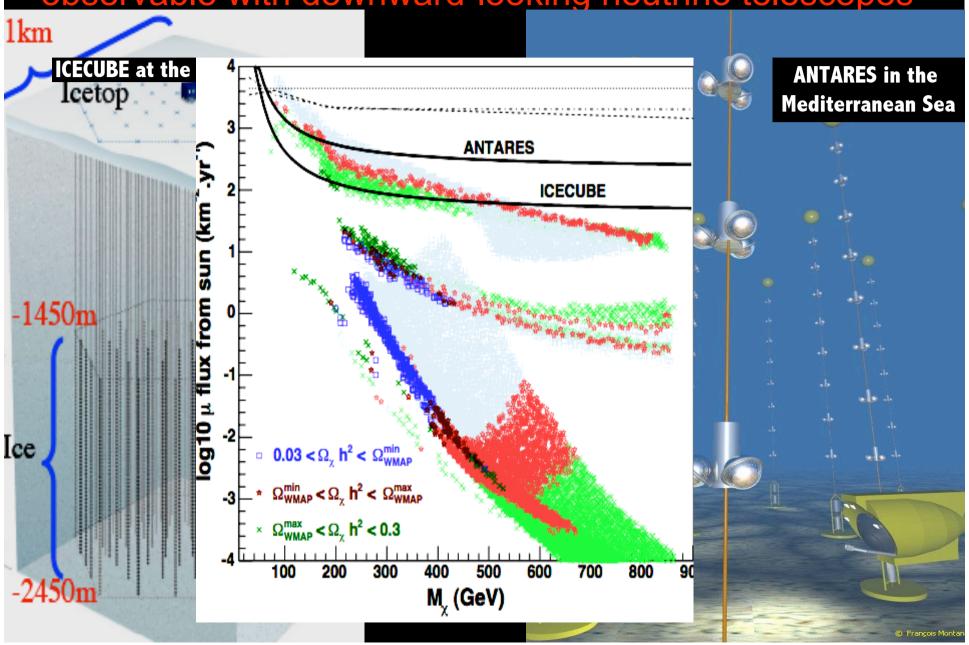
~10³⁹ GeV/s in total annihilation power in energetic gamma rays, e+, pbar, ν

Direct detection



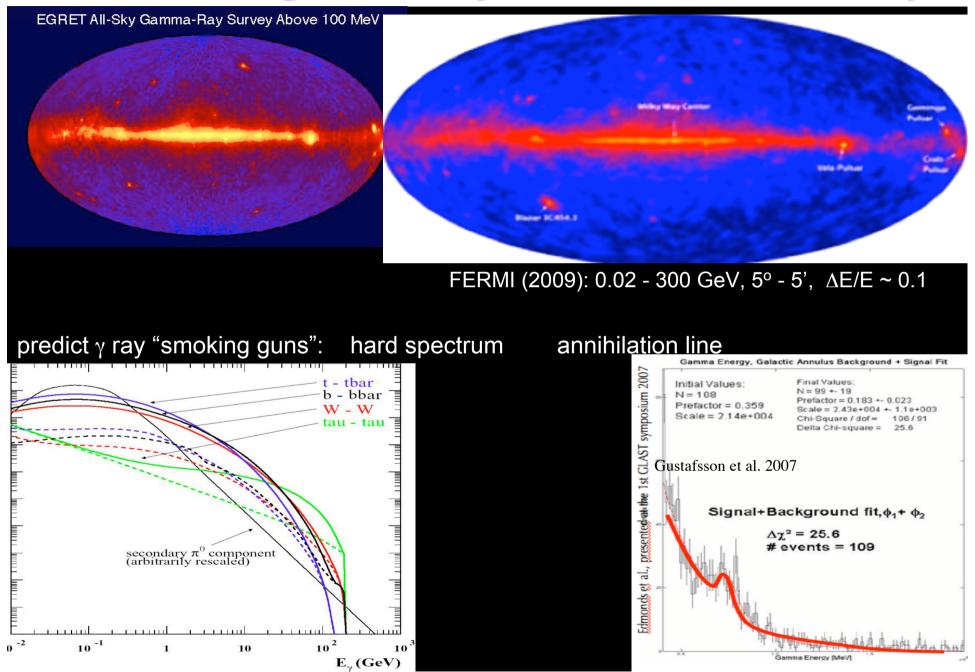
Indirect detection: v

high energy neutrinos from WIMPs annihilating in the sun observable with downward-looking neutrino telescopes

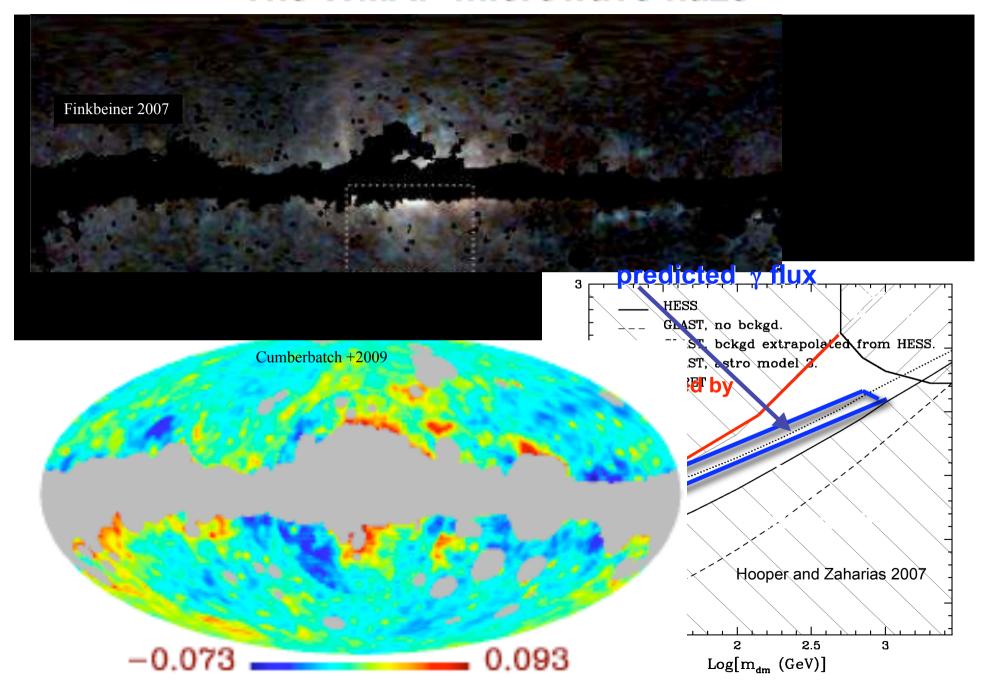


Indirect detection: y

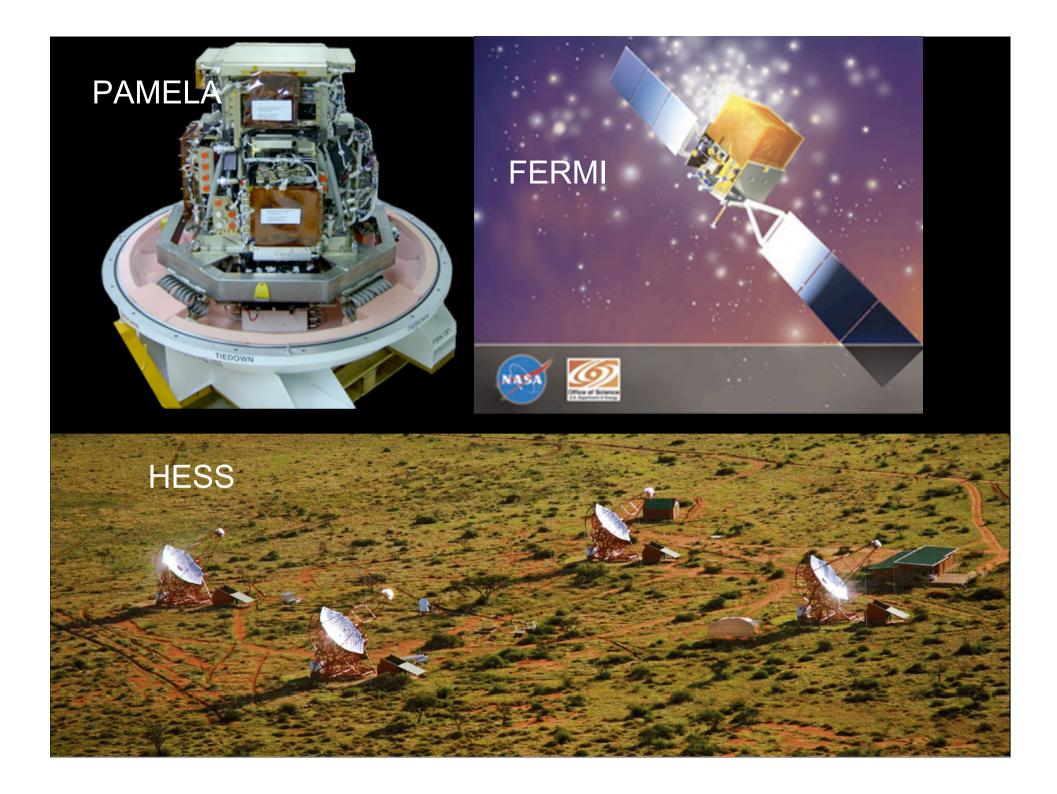
annihilation gamma-Rays from the inner Galaxy

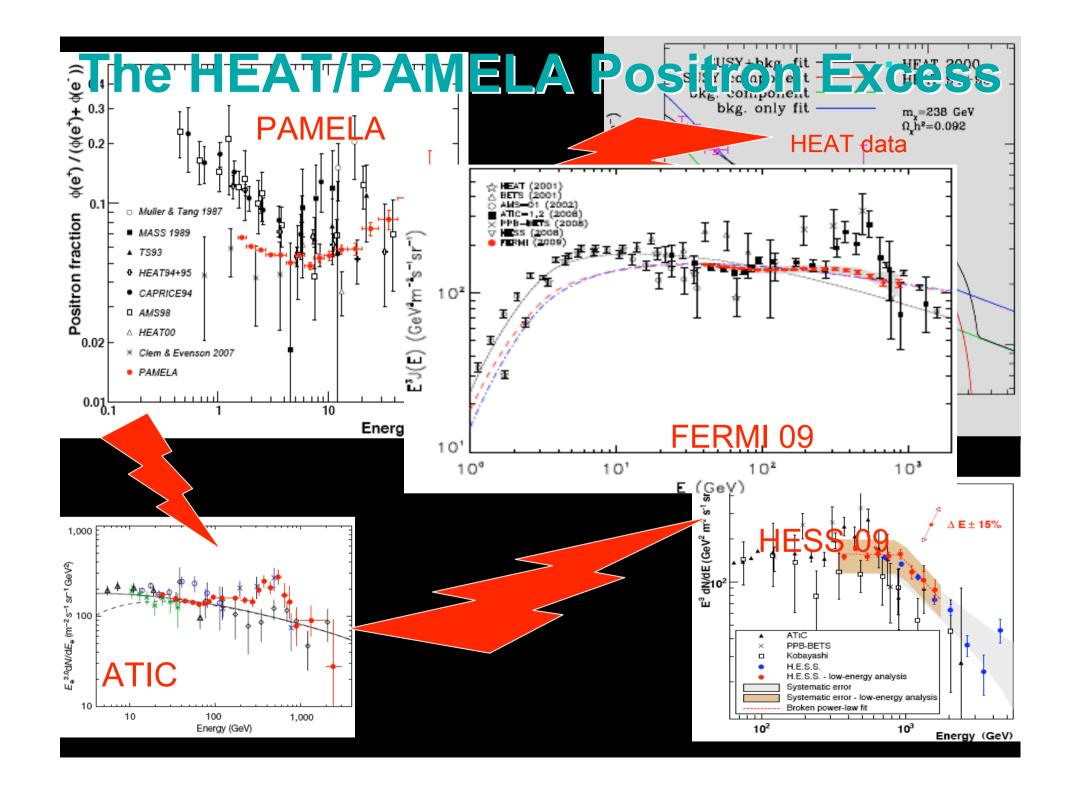


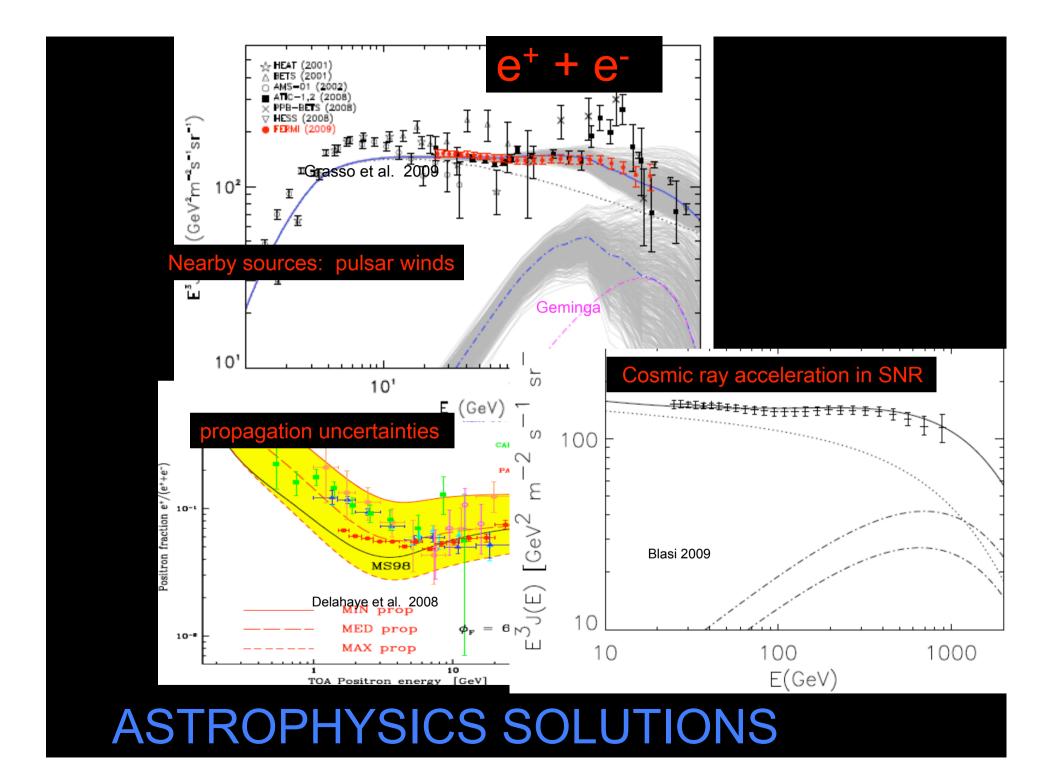
The WMAP microwave haze

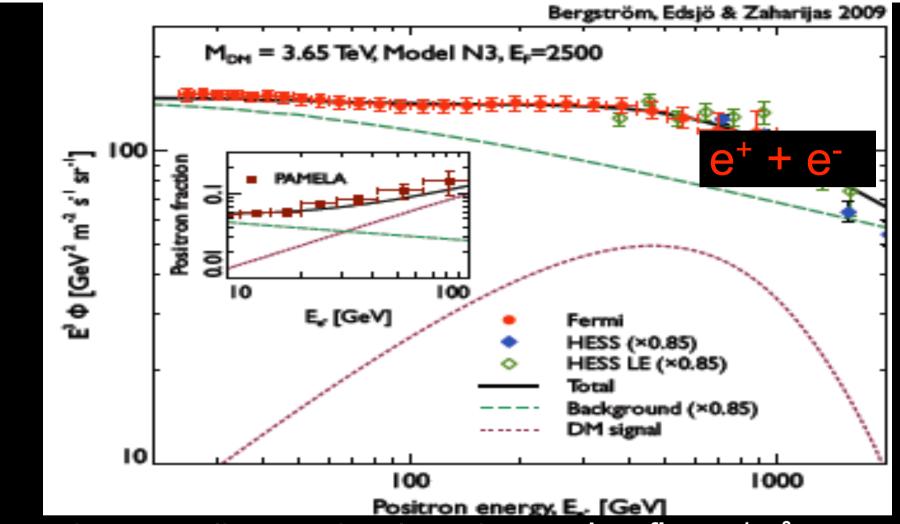


Indirect detection: e+





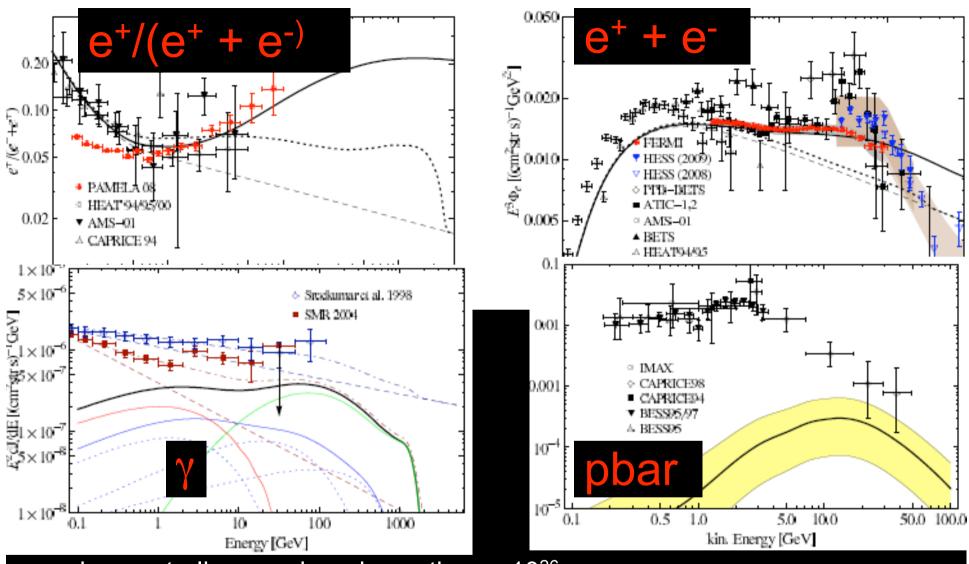




massive neutralino requires large boost since flux ~ ρ/m_x²

PARTICLE PHYSICS SOLUTION with annihilating dark matter

Sommerfeld effect provides boost



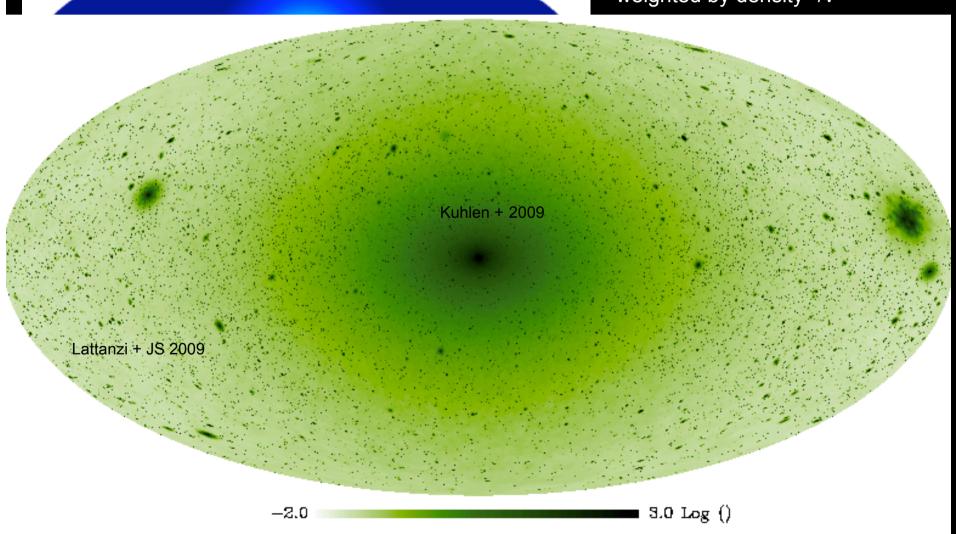
massive neutralino requires decay time $\sim 10^{26}$ sec

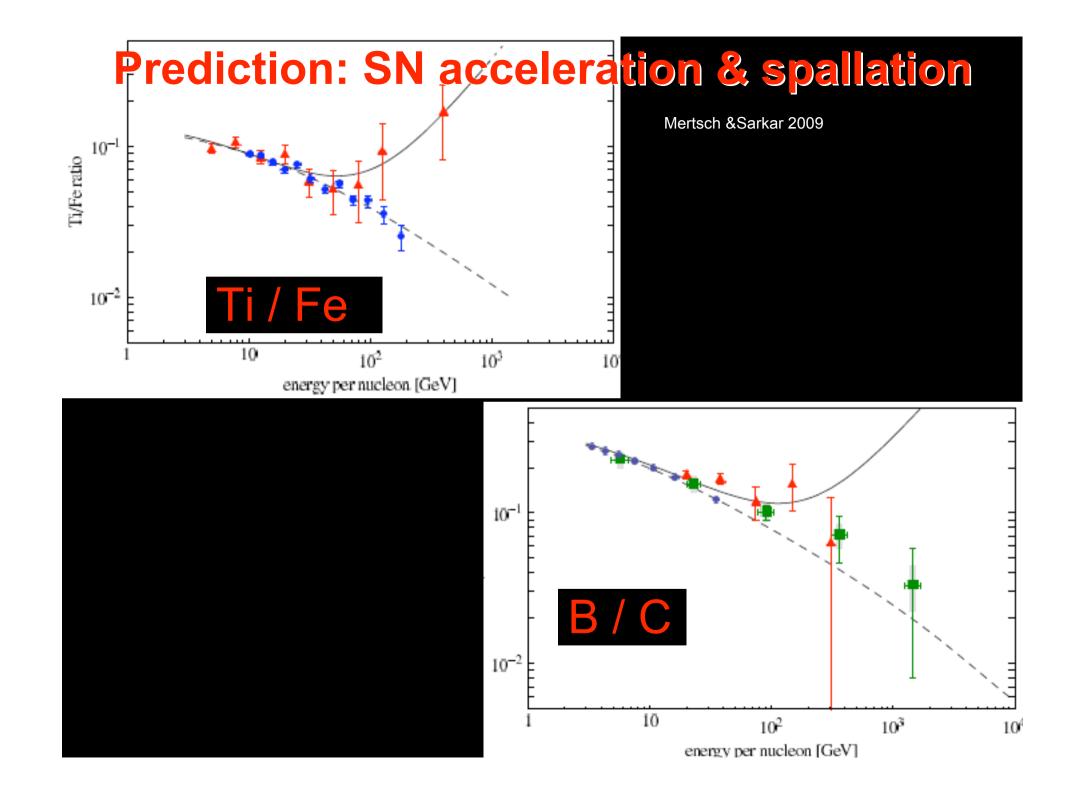
PARTICLE PHYSICS SOLUTION with decaying dark matter

Ibarra + 2009

Prediction: dwarfs should be detectable for annihilating dark matter



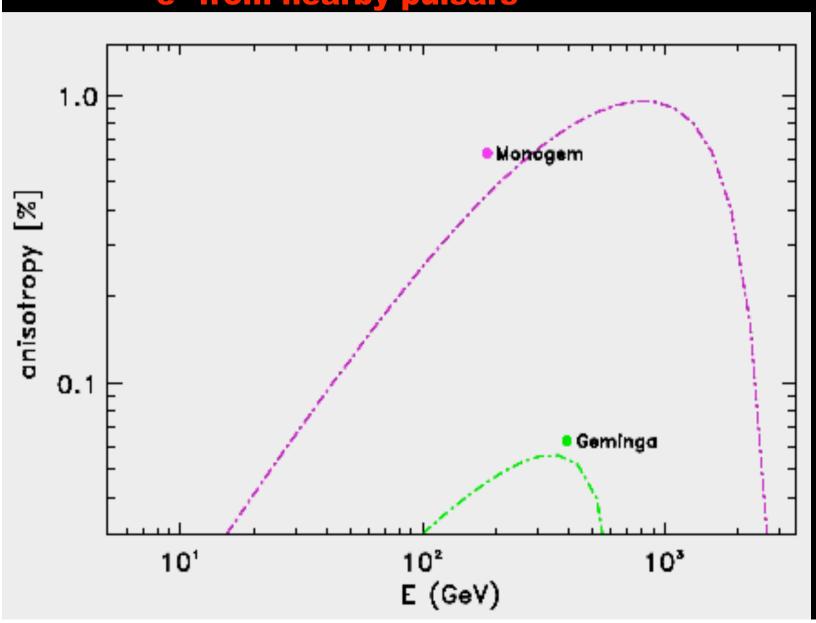




Prediction: anisotropy

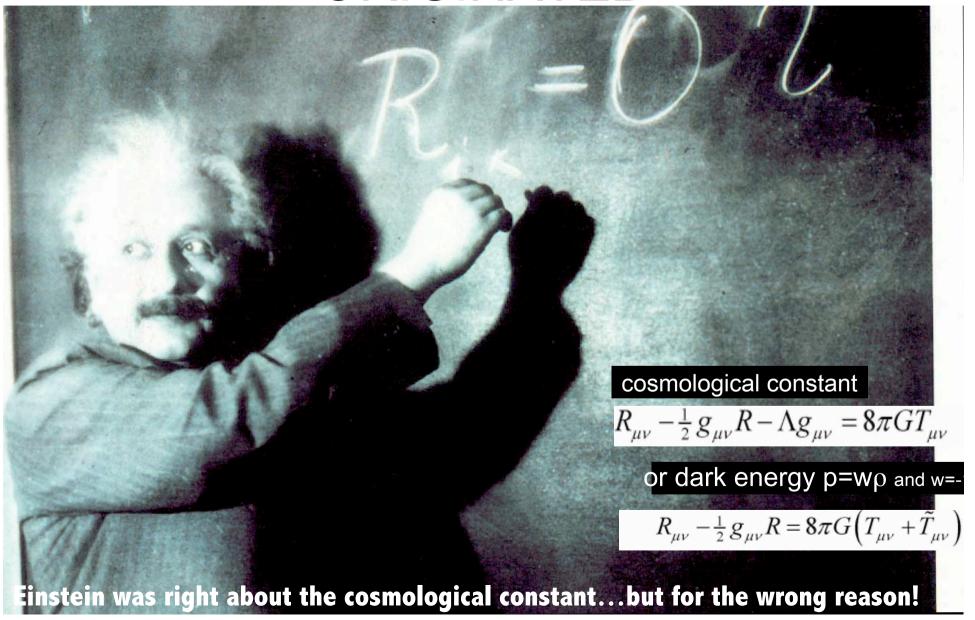
e⁺ from nearby pulsars

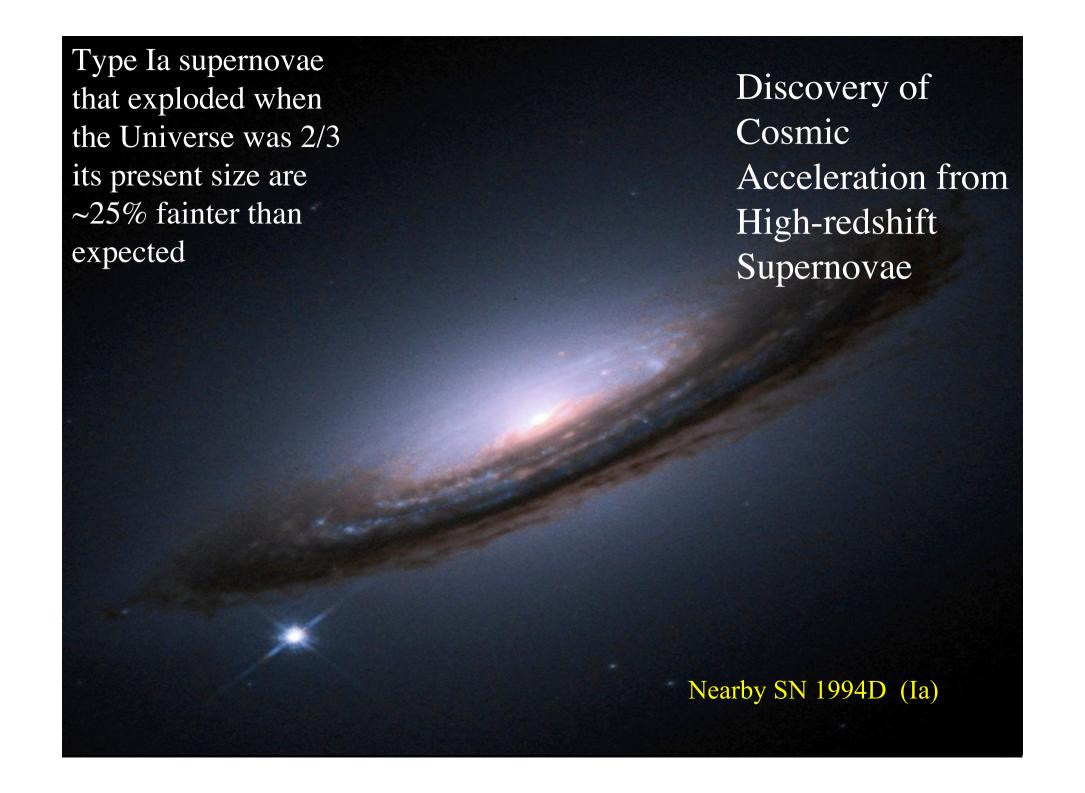
Grasso et al. 2009

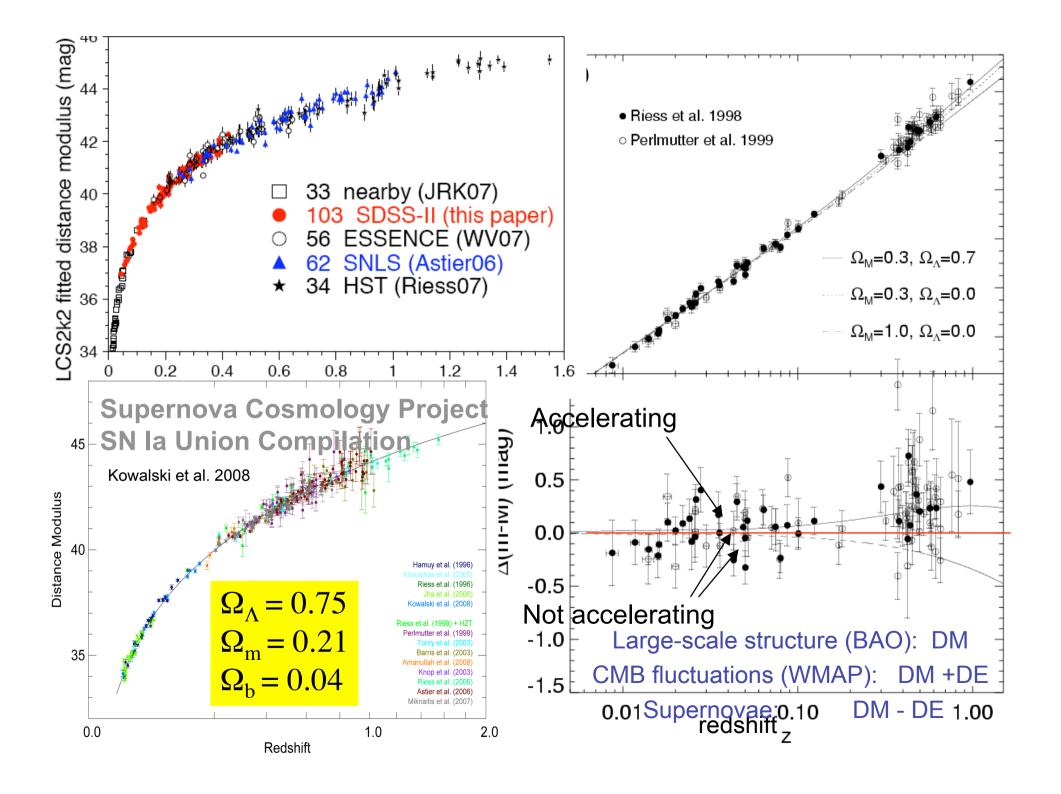


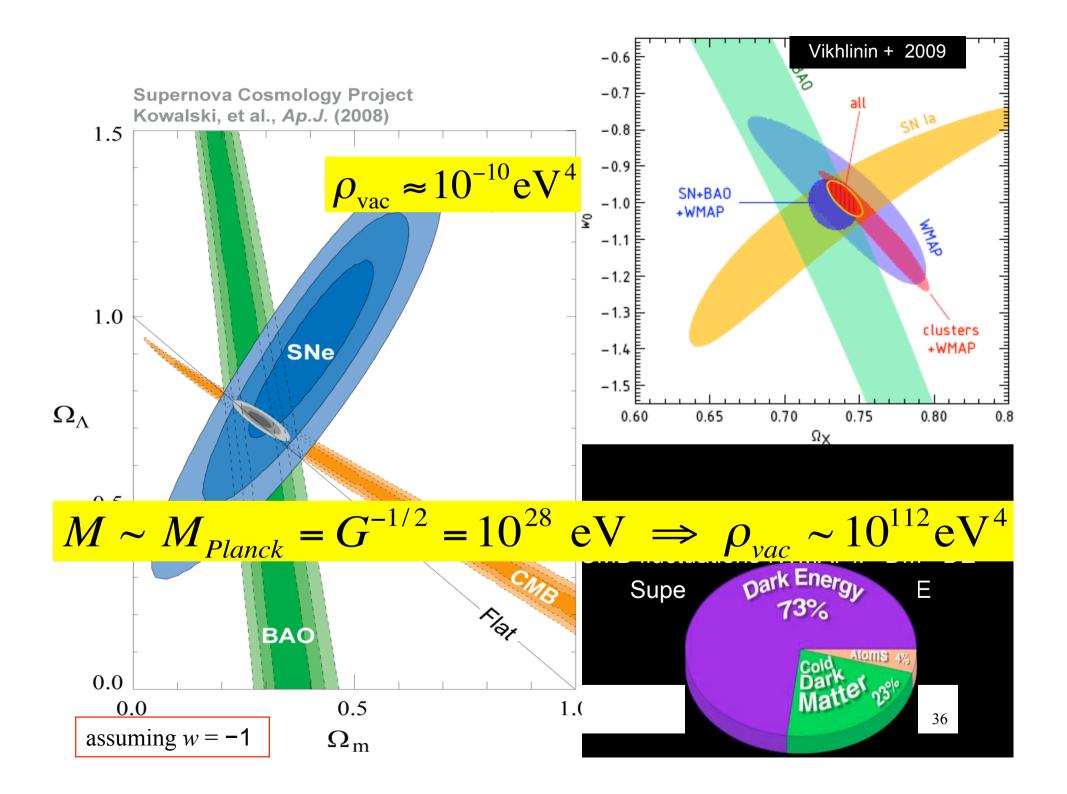
Dark energy

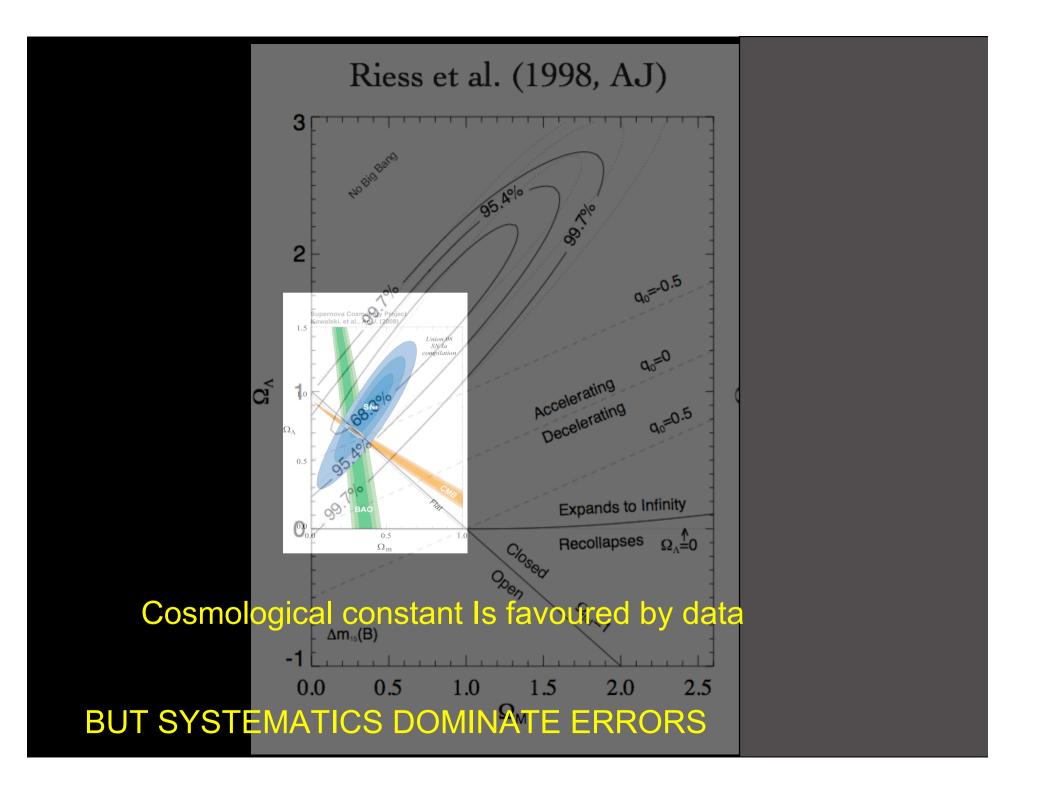
WHERE DARK ENERGY ORIGINATED



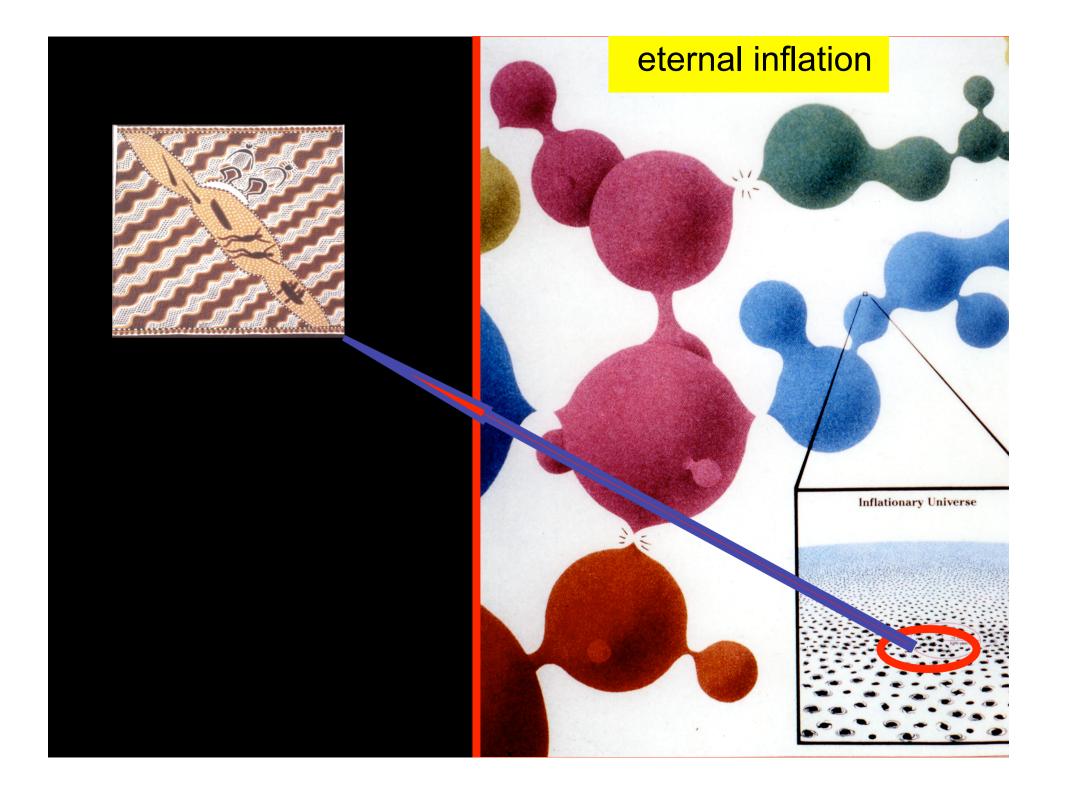




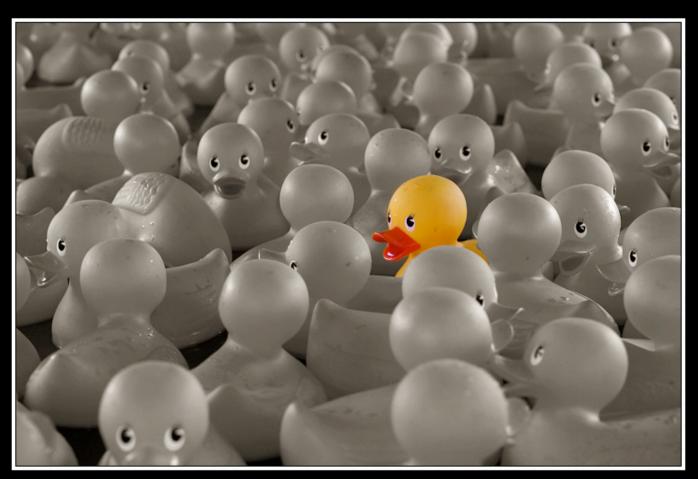




Multiverse explanation of why dark energy is so small



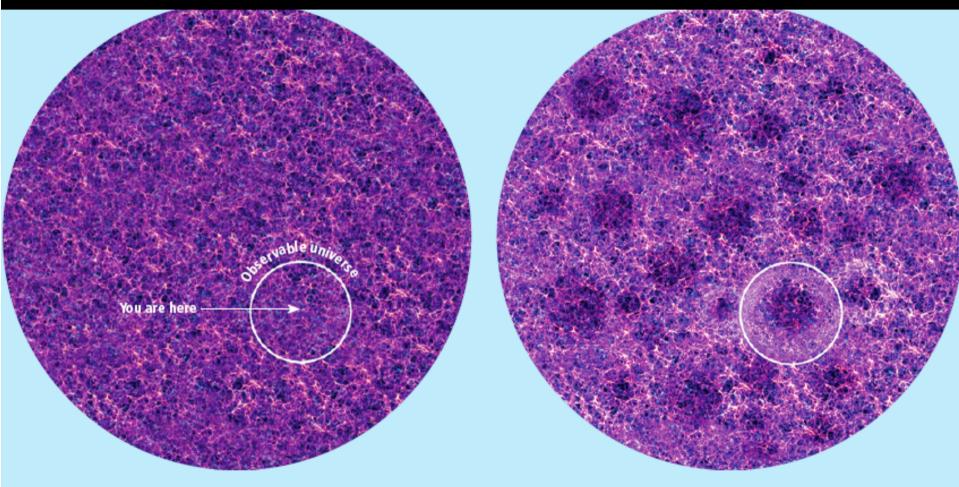
What is so special about our universe?



A. Linde

Alternatively we may hope for a fundamental physics (TOE) explanation of why dark energy is so small

Another explanation

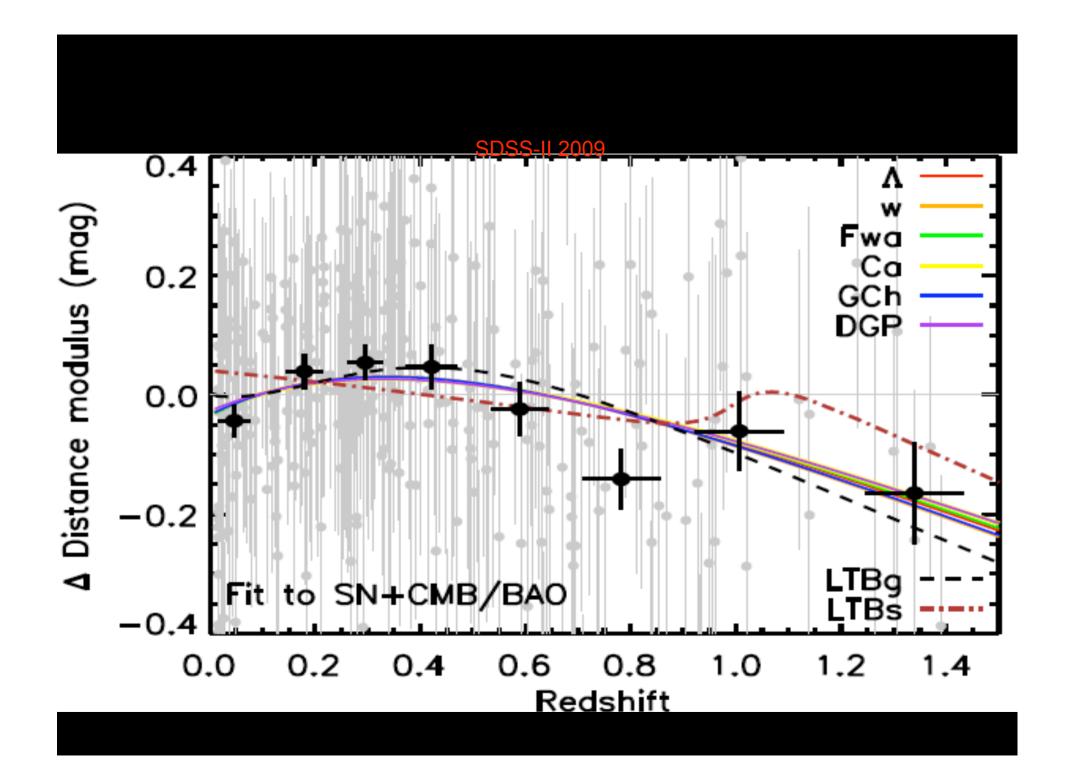


HOMOGENEOUS UNIVERSE: OUR LOCATION IS TYPICAL

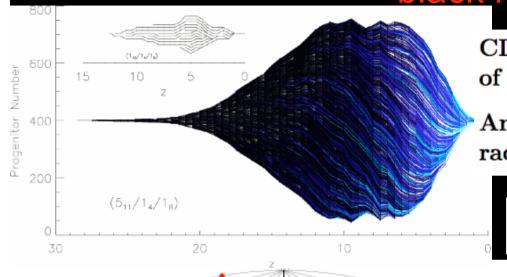
In the standard view, galaxies are lined up in a spidery pattern, but overall space looks much the same everywhere, and Earth's position is nothing special.

INHOMOGENEOUS UNIVERSE: OUR LOCATION IS SPECIAL

Alternatively, the density of matter could vary on large scales, and Earth may lie at or near the center of a relatively less dense region, or void.



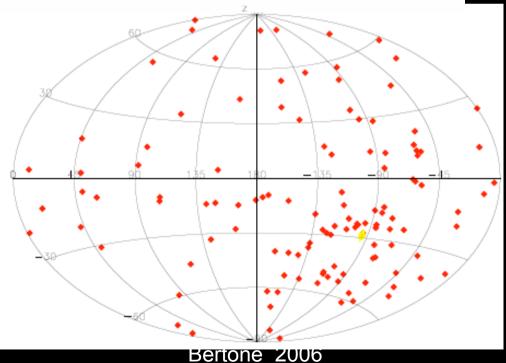
Cold dark matter spikes surround intermediate mass black holes

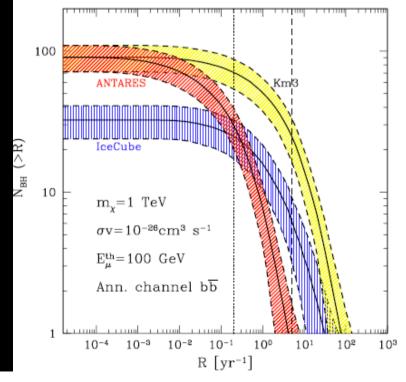


CDM cusp steepens by adiabatic growth of IMBH: $\rho \propto r^{-\gamma} \Rightarrow \rho \propto r^{-\gamma'}$, with $\gamma' = \frac{9-2\gamma}{4-\gamma}$

Annihilation rate is amplified within a radius $GM_{bh}/\sigma^2 \sim 0.003 (M_{BH}/10^5 {\rm M}_{\odot}) {\rm pc}$

How to detect the nearest IMBHs: neutrinos from dark matter annihilations

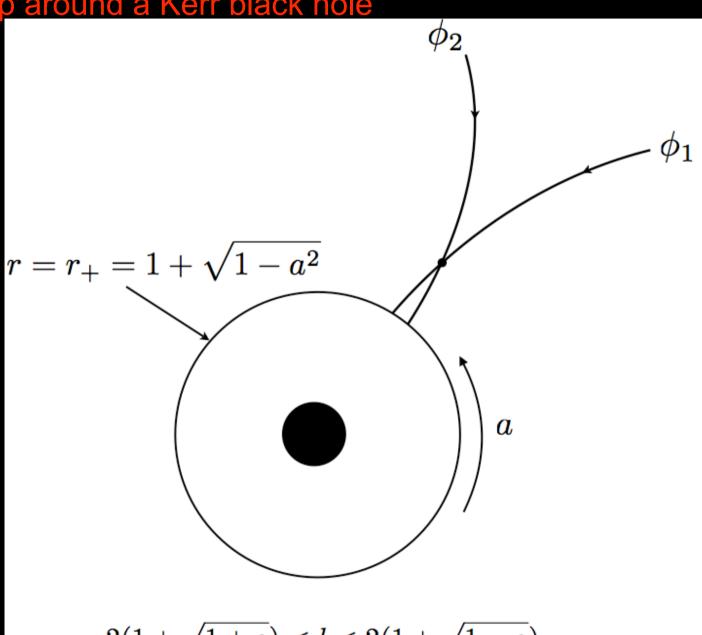




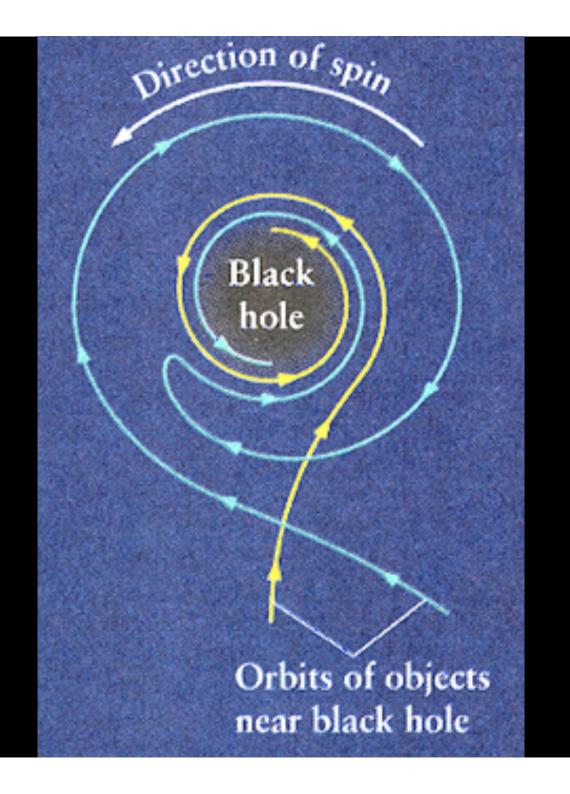
THE ULTIMATE PARTICLE ACCELERATOR:

dark matter cusp around a Kerr black hole

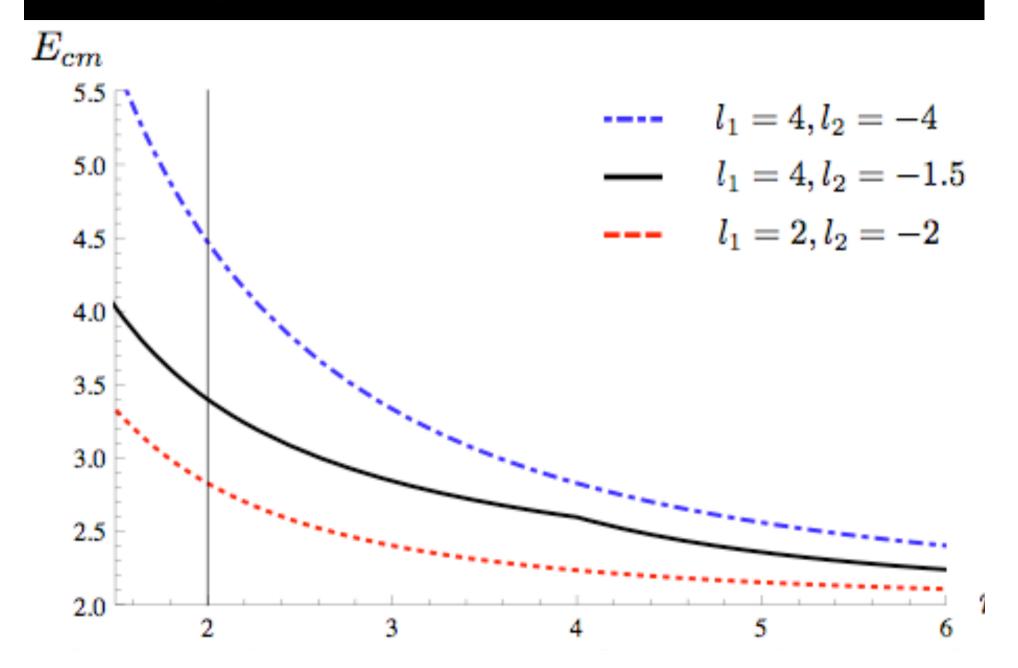
Banados+2009



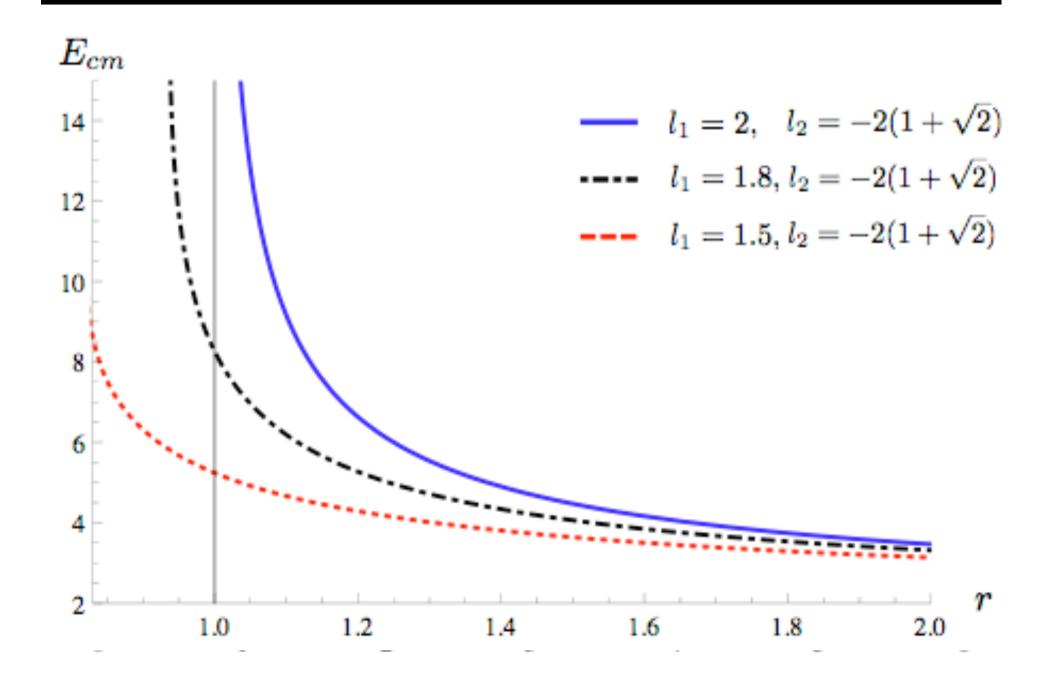
$$-2(1+\sqrt{1+a}) < l < 2(1+\sqrt{1-a})$$



Schwarzschild black hole



Kerr black hole



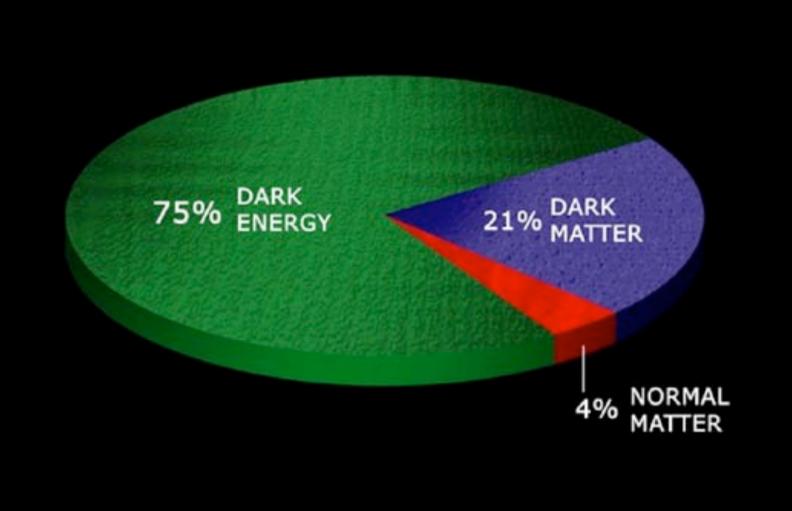
We have identified a potential PLANCK scale particle accelerator

Can have particle collisions with arbitrarily high CM energies

But we have not computed the flux at infinity (in progress)

The energy is redshifted but may retain unique signatures of high energy collisions

Can tap rotational energy of Kerr black hole and have Penrose boost in energy (in progress)



DARK MATTER IS CHALLENGED BY COSMOLOGY

RESURRECTION VIA FUNDAMENTAL PHYSICS

- MODIFYING THE NATURE OF DARK MATTER?
- MODIFYING GRAVITY?

RESURRECTION VIA ASTROPHYSICS

FEEDBACK

DETECTION IS ESSENTIAL FOR CREDIBILITY!

INDIRECT DETECTION IN MULTIPLE WINDOWS WILL DEMONSTRATE COSMOLOGICAL SIGNIFICANCE

AS FOR DARK ENERGY, WE AWAIT A NEW THEORY